

Willimantic, Danielson and Putnam

WILLIMANTIC

What is Going on Tonight.
A. O. H. Dramatic. Just for Fun.
Loomer Opera House.
Mid-Leit Social. Dyer's Baseball
Club. Washburn Hall.
Natchaug Lodge, No. 22, K. of P., K.
of P. Hall.
Union St. Jean Baptiste, Canadian
Club Rooms.

C. C. ROOD'S CASE TRIED.

**Alleged Careless Driving of Automobile
Resulting in Injury to Two Boys—
Continued to Saturday.**

The case of the state vs. Clinton C. Rood for alleged reckless driving of an automobile Dec. 15, 1912, when two boys were injured in collision with Mr. Rood's car, was heard by Judge Arnold at the police court Saturday morning. There were four counts in the complaint, two of which were nolle prossed by Prosecuting Attorney Bugbee. A large number of witnesses were summoned. Mr. Rood pleaded not guilty to all four counts. He was represented by Attorney George E. Hinman.

Alfred Hedin and Armand Hureau were the two boys injured; but the counts that charged Mr. Rood with being responsible for the injuries to the Hedin lad were dismissed by the prosecuting attorney.

The story of the accident, as related in the evidence, was that Mr. Rood was driving up Main street, and when in front of the Loomer Opera house the Hedin boy ran in front of Mr. Rood's machine, and the Hureau boy, who could be stopped the car ran over the boy's body. Testimony was introduced to show that a delivery wagon was standing in front of Loomer Opera

house, obstructing the view of the approaching car from the boy, and the lad from Mr. Rood was driving the car. Mr. Rood stopped his machine and picked up the Hedin boy, who was placed in Mr. Rood's car, and they started for St. Joseph's hospital, when and while driving down Valley street the Hureau boy, who was coming out of a lane between St. Mary's church and the rectory on a bicycle, collided with Mr. Rood's car. He had his leg broken as a result of the accident, by which he was confined to St. Joseph's hospital for several weeks, which has been the cause of the repeated continuance of the case.

The boys told their story of the accident, as did also Mr. Rood, who testified he was driving at not more than 15 miles an hour, which statement was corroborated by the testimony of J. B. Fullerton, both stating the driver, Mr. Rood, gave warning to the Hureau boy by sounding the horn. The contention of Attorney Hinman for the defendant was that Mr. Rood was justified in driving down Valley street at a more rapid speed than usual in order to get the Hedin boy to the hospital as soon as possible. The case was continued until next Saturday for the arguments.

BANQUET IN CELTIC.

**Montgomery Hose Company and Guests
Feast on Turkey, But 'Twas Wearin'
o' the Green.**

The fourth annual banquet of Montgomery Hose company, No. 2, was the pleasant and successful event at the company's headquarters on Jackson street Saturday evening. The affair was held in honor of St. Patrick's day. Decorations of white and green by P. E. Donahue, and the favors, a combination of the stars and stripes and green flag were in keeping with the holiday of special interest to the sons of Erin. An appetizing turkey dinner served, the menu being as follows:

Srol Mantini
Pointe d'arm air Sleagan
Gurtini agas Caseruidhe
Turcaol olean Rodha
Anian Smeir Craian
Pratol Brice
Glaseruidhe Glousta
Union agas Uactur
Turnip Brice
Ollomoidhe Picalaidhe
Mac-a-da-hough
Purairi Ubbail Pucairi Peol Bruite
Cupagh
Banpoine Seralise Spunain
Sigeranna
Sigeretana Fatima.

The guests included Mayor Daniel P. Dunn, Corporation Counsel Thomas J. Kellogg, Town Clerk Frank P. Fenton, members of the city council, as well as several citizens who had shown in a substantial manner the interest in the hose company. The postprandial speeches were spiced with reminiscences and congratulatory references. The emphasis was placed on the bravery and heroism that give the fire-ladders a large place in the heart of the community. The speakers were Mayor Dunn, Corporation Counsel Kellogg, Alderman David Ahearn, Town Clerk Frank P. Fenton, Foreman Leo Thompson of the Hilltop, Joseph J. Corrie of the American Thread company, Foreman John Edgerton of the Alerts, Foreman Peter Kramer of the Excelors, Fire Chief Foley, First Assistant John O'Rourke, and Thomas Ashton, the oldest member of the Montgomery Hose company, and Captain Morrisette of Gardes Fire company.

Messrs. Sculley and Schurtz of New York interspersed the feast of reason and flow of soul with vocal and instrumental selections, and Louis H. Ashton also contributed songs. The favors were useful leather cigarette cases donated by a cigarette manufacturer. The committee of arrangements was Michael English, foreman of Montgomery Hose company, James Tighe, first assistant, Michael Triscoll, second assistant, James P. McGone, Edward Flynn, William Costello and Timothy Leary.

HOLY WEEK

**To Be Observed at Congregational
Church With Special Services.**

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week Rev. W. S. Beard, pastor of the Congregational church, has arranged these special holy week services. Tuesday evening Rev. Edward P. Ayer of Mansfield will preach and C. H. Caswell is to sing. Wednesday evening Rev. M. R. Plumb of Windham is the preacher and Mr. Caswell will sing. Thursday the sacrament of the Lord's supper will be celebrated and new members will be received into the church on confession of faith and by letter. Good Friday evening a large chorus of about thirty voices will sing the sacred cantata.

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From Olivet to Calvary, by Maude, under direction of C. H. Caswell, the musical director of the church. Sunday's calendar has this announcement concerning Easter Sunday. The theme of the morning service is Faith and Immortality, and for vespers The Helplessness of Death. A double quartet will sing Sunday morning and a chorus at vespers will render several single selections and also Shelley's Death and Life.

Want to Adopt Children.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. White have asked Judge Shea of the probate court for the privilege of legally adopting William Henry Stanton and Jennie Margaria Stanton, minors 9 years of age. The children, who the petitioners say were abandoned by their relatives, have been living with Mr. and Mrs. White.

Must Support His Wife.

John White was before Judge Arnold of the police court Saturday charged with intoxication. He pleaded guilty and he was ordered to place in the hands of Probation Officer Lyman not less than \$25 a month towards the support of Mrs. White.

CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY.

T. G. Auerio is Three Score and Ten and Three.

Thomas G. Auerio, 129 Walnut street, celebrated his 73d birthday anniversary Sunday, and his friends called during the day and evening and extended congratulations and good wishes. Mr. Auerio has received many beautiful gifts and the visitors were each presented with a favor as a souvenir of the happy occasion.

Mrs. C. H. Daniels Facing Death.

Nelson Daniels received news Friday evening that his mother, Mrs. Charles H. Daniels, formerly of Danbury, was near the point of death at her home in Southbridge, Mass.

Against Laxity in Sunday.

At the morning service at the Baptist church Sunday the congregation took a rising vote protesting against the passage or amendment of any laws at the present session of the legislature that would tend to a less stringent observance of the Sabbath as a day of worship.

Pleasing Bill at the Theater.

Large audiences, both the matinee and evening performances, enjoyed a very strong presentation of The Shepherd of the Hills at the Loomer Opera house Saturday. The company was evenly balanced, all the characters being artistically impersonated.

Fire Loss Adjusted.

The insurance company has allowed the estate of the late William S. Curtis for loss by a fire at a dwelling house in South Windham, March 8.

Suit Against Hebron Man.

Judge A. J. Bowen, acting for the Hartford Iron company, has brought suit against William Daley of Hebron, Conn., for \$333.33.

It is claimed to be due the plaintiff. The case is returnable before Justice Clark of Turnerville, March 31.

Of Hebron Ancestry.

Rev. W. M. Geer, vicar of St. Paul's church, New York, who recently celebrated the 50th anniversary of his connection with Trinity parish, is a grandson of Rev. Alphaeus Geer, who was rector of St. Peter's church at Hebron from 1829 to 1844.

Curtis' \$430 Check Cashed by Hartford Bank.

The latest advice is that the check of \$430 drawn by William S. Curtis, Trust company by C. H. Curtis, the missing Willimantic lawyer, was cashed by the banking institution at Hartford where Curtis did his banking, after which the Willimantic Trust company received the check for collection. A request to wire the Hartford bank if there were funds to meet it.

Writes Valse for Orchestra.

In the monthly bulletin of a music publishing company is listed the Au Revoir valse for orchestra written by Harry Sweet of this city. It is of fine melodic construction and effectively arranged. Harry Sweet is a pupil of Charles L. Geer of Norwich.

Local Notes.

The Loyal Temperance Legion held a profitable meeting at the W. C. T. U. room Sunday afternoon.

Gov. Baldwin's Fast Day proclamation was read in the churches of this city at the Sunday services.

Attorney George E. Hinman has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late Mary A. Arnold.

Physical Director McLaughlin is arranging for a gymnastic exhibition to be given by members of his physical culture classes April 2.

John Curran displayed Saturday a bunch of genuine shamrocks picked by his father, Peter Curran of Lakkam, County Limerick, Ireland.

Saturday Fred Eaton sold to Mrs. Jane Brooks a lot of land, less than an acre, at Mansfield Center. Mrs. Theresa Eaton also sold at the same time to Mrs. Brooks the old lannery lot in the same town.

Large audiences heard with interest the addresses and messages given by Mrs. Mary S. Yarnall of Brooklyn, N. Y., at the Loomer opera house Sunday. The singing was by C. Howard Miller accompanied by Miss Maybelle Taft. The services were under the auspices of the First Spiritualist society of this city.

Personals.

W. C. Norris made a business trip to Hartford last week.

M. F. Dwyer of Putnam was a recent Willimantic visitor.

Pierre D. Moreau attended the automobile show at Boston.

Miss Louise Williams of Manchester recently visited Willimantic relatives. Roadmaster Condon of the Consolidated road was in the city on business Friday.

Arthur McQuillan is succeeded in business by his brother, John F. McQuillan at 99 Main street.

Mayor Dunn goes to New Haven this evening to speak at a banquet under the auspices of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick.

STAFFORD SPRINGS

Three Records Broken in Candlepin League During the Week—Tony Jacobson Makes Highest Single String.

Three records were broken in the Stafford Candlepin league last week. The clerks took the lead for high team total with a record of 1470 and also for high team string with a score of 512. Tony Jacobson now holds the record for high single string with 133 plus to his credit.

High team total—Clerks, 1470.
High team string—Clerks, 512.
High three string—Hansen, 339.
High single string—T. Jacobson, 133.
Averages of leaders—H. Pinney 94.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Fisk 52, Melbourne 51, Tufts 51, Alchinson 50, Yarn 50, C. Pinney 50, Reynolds 50, Snow 50.

The Standing.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Clerks	43	20	.683
Manufacturers	39	26	.597
Merchants	37	26	.587
Independents	36	27	.572
Crescents	29	39	.429
Rhode	24	39	.381
Johnsons	22	41	.349
Warrens	21	42	.333
Total Pinfall.	27,655		
Manufacturers	27,679		
Merchants	27,398		
Independents	27,198		
Crescents	26,890		
Johnsons	26,617		
Rhode Islands	26,529		
Warrens	26,285		

GOING THE WEEK

Monday—Independents vs. Rhode Islands.
Tuesday—Merchants vs. Johnsons.
Wednesday—Warrens vs. Crescents.
Thursday—Clerks vs. Manufacturers.

DANIELSON

Conductor Winfield Colwell Held Up—Manages to Elude Highwayman—Secretary John B. Kelley Resigns—Girl Help Seizes—Break at A. Weisberg's Store.

Conductor Winfield Colwell was held up at the point of a revolver at 1240 Saturday morning while he was waiting to his boarding place on Mechanic street from the car house at Dayville. By quick action he managed to slip away from the highwayman, who did not lose any of the valuables he had on his person.

Conductor Colwell was out on a theater car run Friday night, and arrived at the car house so late on his return that he was obliged to walk the three miles or more to his home in Danielson. When he reached a point on upper Main street not far from the Phillips Jodion place, a man stepped out from behind a large building, and street lights were out at the time, but Conductor Colwell, in the reflection of the lights from the Connecticut mills, saw the glint of a revolver in the fellow's hand.

The man asked the conductor what time it was. Colwell replied that he did not know, whereupon, uttering an oath, the highwayman said: "You are the conductor of a car, and I want your money."

But he did not get it. Colwell immediately vaulted over a wall, ran around back of the Jodion barn and across the lot to his boarding place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. Graves.

Arriving there he told his story, and with Mr. Graves returned and searched for the man who had attempted to rob him. The highwayman was not found.

This is the third holdup that has been reported in the town within a week. It seems probable that all the holdups, which in every case have been unsuccessful, are the work of the same man.

Conductor Colwell described the man as tall and slim, wearing a derby hat and a long coat. He was armed with a revolver.

There was a report about town Saturday to the effect that Russel Carlier, who is engaged to be married to a girl making his trip through the country east of here Friday, but Mr. Lodge had heard nothing about it.

SECRETARY KELLEY RESIGNS.

Is to Leave Washington to Engage in Manufacturing, After Ten Years of Service.

John B. Kelley of Dayville, who has been private secretary for Senator Frank B. Brandegee for over ten years, has given up his position. Mr. Kelley has been in Washington for ten years, before election, to take effect this spring. His successor has been named.

He is now at Dayville, where he is engaged in manufacturing. Mr. Kelley is the son of Representative and Mrs. Kelley of Dayville.

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